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Subject: RE: AVERT and eGRID memo
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Hi Chris and Robyn,

I'm attaching my comments and edits.

I think we have to be really careful to distinguish what a tool was designed to do vs. what it actually does (or if it can be considered "best"). The eGRID manual clearly thinks that the non-baseload emissions rate is correct, but I think it's a fundamentally flawed premise. I don't think AVERT is right – but it's a lot better and carefully designed to answer a specific question. And just because eGRID isn't careful to caveat their analysis techniques and AVERT doesn't mean that eGRID doesn't make a large number of implicit assumptions. I've tried to very carefully make sure that some of these caveats don't sound like they're one sides.

Hope this helps

-Jeremy

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Hi Robyn,

Here's the memo as it currently stands (attached). ERG compiled the table and fleshed out the discussion. We inserted a few questions to EPA and a few for Jeremy. Jeremy has the memo and will review it -- particularly the sections that describe AVERT.

Chris

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Hi Chris and Jeremy

On yesterday's call I forgot to ask for an update on the eGRID/AVERT memo I drafted and ERG and Synapse were refining. I am having a meeting today with our Green Power Partnership and I'd like to get the latest copy as it currently stands. When you send the document, let me know what still needs to be done.

Best,

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